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SUBJECT: COLOMBO PLAN STAFF COLLEGE- FIFTH GOVERNING BOARD MEETING

REF: SINGAPORE 4178, SINGAPORE 3801

1. SUBJECT MEETING RESULTED IN ACCEPTANCE OF FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT ON THE BUDGET FOR 1975-76 (SC-75/21 OF SEPT 1, 1975), AND DIRECTOR OF STAFF COLLEGE ANNOUNCED THAT HE DID NOT EXPECT ANY SHORTFALLS IN BUDGET IF ALL MEMBER GOVERNMENTS PAID THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS. HOWEVER, THE DIRECTOR SAID THE STAFF COLLEGE IS NOW ALMOST \$60,000 IN THE RED AND HE URGED PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES TO PAY THEIR SHARES ASAP. (USG SHARE IS US \$9,916 FOR OPERATING COSTS OF WHICH US \$5,834 HAS BEEN PAID.)

2. GOVERNING BOARD DECIDED TO INFORM MALDIVES GOVERNMENT THAT IT WAS NOT WITHIN THE GOVERNING BOARD'S JURISDICTION TO CONSIDER MALDIVE'S REQUEST THAT ITS CONTRIBUTION BE LOWERED TO A SYMBOLIC AMOUNT (SC/75/18 OF AUG 7, 1975). GOVERNING BOARD WILL SUGGEST BY LETTER THAT MALDIVES RESUBMIT ITS REQUEST TO CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE FOR A DECISION. THEREFORE, THIS ITEM MAY BE ON AGENDA FOR NEXT CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE MEETING.

3. CONSENSUS OF GOVERNING BOARD WAS THAT ADVISOR ON INTRA-REGIONAL TRAINING SHOULD COME TO SINGAPORE IN JAN OR FEB 1976 TO HELP DRAW UP THE 1976-77 BUDGET. THE ADVISOR'S ASSISTANCE IS REQUIRED TO MAKE SURE THE BUDGET INCLUDES SUFFICIENT FINANCIAL PROVISIONS FOR "INFRASTRUCTURAL  
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FACILITIES" SO THAT THE ADVISOR'S TRANSFER TO SINGAPORE

CAN TAKE PLACE AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE DURING THE 1976-77  
FINANCIAL YEAR. (SEE SC/75/22 OF SEPT 11, 1975.)  
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